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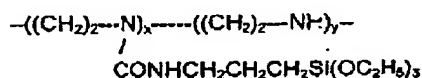
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the present application:

Complete Listing of Claims:

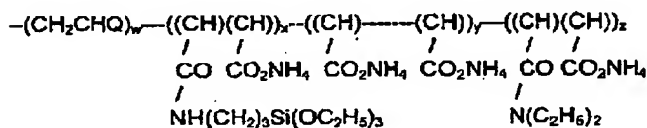
Claims 1-7 (Canceled)

8. (Previously Presented) A polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:



where $x = 0.5\text{-}20\%$, $y = 99.5\text{-}80\%$.

9. (Previously Presented) A polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:



where $w = 1\text{-}99.9\%$, $x = 0.1\text{-}50\%$, $y = 0\text{-}50\%$, $z = 0\text{-}50\%$; and
Q is phenyl.

Claims 10-12 (Canceled)

13. (Previously Presented) A polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale, wherein the polymer is:

